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## Dear Sir/Madam

This is a notification pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6) that MediHerb of – Warwick, Qld, 4370, Australia is making statements about a dietary supplement.

HiPep Phytosynergist<sup>™</sup> is the name of the product that is the subject of this notification.

HiPep Phytosynergist<sup>™</sup> contains Licorice, Meadowsweet, Chickweed, Echinacea angustifolia and Golden Seal. The statements being made are as follows:

- reduce occasional stomach acid secretions
- promote healthy mucosal tissue within the upper gastrointestinal tract
- promote healthy tone within the gastrointestinal tract, and
- assist the normal functioning of the esophageal sphincter.

The information contained herein is accurate and MediHerb has substantiation that the statements are truthful and not misleading.

Yours sincerely

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